ANOTHER YARN ABOUT OLD MAN GREENLAW

tle saloon in Arkansas City concerning the qualifications of a mysterlous gamester from somewhere in yet, bein's 's that quick with a gun. while travelling up and down in varfous boats had sat in as a stranger
with the professionals who played
poker regularly on those boats. Rumors had reached Arkansas City
which credited him with having had
amazing success in a number of
games, and the old man and his
friends were keenly interested.
Strangers seldom won from the professionals at that period.
"Must be a holy terror fo' to git
"Well, I don't hold with none o'
them new ideas in poker, not as a
men new ideas in poker, not a

fessionals at that period,
"Must be a holy terror fo' to git story. "Must be a holy terror fo' to git nway with the best players they is can the boats," said old man Green-law, as if awed by some tale of the supernatural. "Some says he done win offen the one-eyed man, but that doan't sound reas'nable."

Then he lighted a fresh cigar, or what law he he said that, an' I pasted the taten one end of it; and went on to tell about the lallapalooser.

"When I come to Arkansas City to him."

"When he said that, an' I pasted the tale to greet the distinguished guest, who is immense popular with the paper an' tells me to paste that up too, but not til after he'd played the first of "he said." I done seen what don't sound reas'nable."

The he lighted a fresh cigar, or what he had large crowd is expective after a first and the first of the

"What new idees c'n he put into r. poker game?" demanded the old

t. poker game?" demanded the old man, greatly mystified,
"Oh, I don't know," said Mr. Pepper. "Mebbe they ain't all on 'em'xactly new, but he plays 'em like they was. He plays big dog an' little dog' and jumpers, an' 'round the corner, an' skeeters, an' sich. I wouldn't be none s'prised if he was to ring in a lallapalooser afo' he gits through."

'Oh shucks!" said the old man

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Inception of the LaHapalooser is Explained for First Time in True Story.

By David A. Curtis.

"They's done been a heap o' talk, first an' last, 'bout lallapaloosers," said old man Greenlaw one day when Mr. Owen Popper had spoken disparsingly of the particular poker.

the North, who had recently appear-ed on the Mississippi river and who, while travelling up and down in var-"Well, I don't hold with none of

law, as if awed by some tale of the supernatural. "Some says he done win offen the one-eyed man, but that doan't sound reas'nable."
"Oh, I don't know." said Mr. Pepper. "I reckon he ain't no such hell roarin' terror. Tears like he plays some diff'rent f'm the reg'lar game, but that ain't to say what he plays no better on'y what he interjuces new idees. I reckon when the others gits f'miliar with 'em they'll skin him alive, but 's long 's they's novelities he gits away with 'em."
"What new idees c'n he put into

out as the citizens was.

"O co'se that was all wrong. They couldn't nobody 'xpect the town to git ahead none 's long 's crossroads Ramblers an' p'fessionals f'm offen the boats was comin' hyar f'm time to time an' gittin away with big chunks outen the floatin' capital o' the c'mmunity. Thing to do was to organize, an' I done organized.

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"I begin pickin' out the best players they was in town an' gittin' 'em together with the idee o' makin' a team what 'd be pow'ful enough fo to get away with the strangers. In union they is strength, as the Good Books says, an' I showed 'em how if they'd play fo' the common wel-

but I al'ays 'spicioned he done come from th' Ozarks, on'y he wan't much over six foot high, an' he was mo' civilized like 'n Ozarkers gen'ly is. But anyway he sho' was a slick play-er. I recken if he'd 'a' been satis-My condition was bad. I was completely broken down, I could not sleep at all or eat. Was tired all the time and felt miesrable.

er. I recken if he'd 'a' been satisfied to a settle in Arkansas City an' interpretation of the wouldn't 'a' got it if Grosjean 'd 'a knowed what 'twas, it bein' his deal, an' him recknin' on having the best hand his

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: Lallapaloosers can't be : played But onc't of : a settin'.

"Then I seen mo' yet of a light, an'

on it as a kyind o' s'prise like, Jake
'd done lose out repeated again Grossjean an' he says what he ain't no
hawg fo' punishment an' he knows
when he got enough o' that if he
want easy satisfied when things was
gwine his way. An' Pearsall was over
to Greenville co'tin the gal he married later on, so it looked like they
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Meservie Seriously III.

W. R. Meservie, former county
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with ptomaine poisoning and has
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deal, an' his luck helt with the hands he got I'm Winterbottom, so he was being reported in this immediate vigittin' ahead rapid, when Jim done caught his lallapalooser.

"Stand to reason he was have resulted.

"Then they both stood pat an' Halsdell bet a other hundred. 'Pears like Grosjean must a s'picioned somepin' fo' he never rose it, but on'y called, havin't his fo' sevens.

"But Blaisdell says, "I win,' an' reached fo' the pot, an' Grosjean says, 'Yo' all 'pears to be some drunk. Yo' ain't got nothin'."

"Oh, yes I has, said Blaisdell, 'I got a lallapalooser." "Can't you se fo' yo'self?' says Plaisdell, "They's all fo' suits an' the fifth cyard is a dimond. That ties a straight flush.'

"Just nachul, Grosjean draws a m. If I hadn't knocked it outen his hand with a bungstarter they mought 'a' been a disturbance, But when we showed him the sign and 'xplained

reckoned fo' to git even.

"So I done went outside an' got that other sign an' come back in the back room an' stuck it up on the wall when he wa'nt looking, 'Peared like he was too busy lookin' fo' a hailapalooser of his own fo' to pay 'tention to what was goin' on, what's al'ays a mistake fo' a man to do when he's playin' poker, no matter what he's got into his fist, But anyways, that what he done done.

"Just nachul he didn't had no such of a wad as he done had when he set in, 'fo Jim done hit him tolable hard the first time, but he had c'nsidarable left an' he sho' had the courage o' his convictions, whatever to ther house rule. He sho' was fit reckoned fo' to git even.

RITCHIE VOTERS

Judge Ira E. Robinson Will Make Some Speeches in

said old man Greenlaw one day when Mr. Owen Pepper had spoken disparagingly of the particular poker hand, known by that peculiar name, "but they ain't but a few knows what they is," he continued, "much less how they come to be interjuced into the game, an' who done it."

They had questioned Mr. Pepper when he came into the old man's lit- when he came into the don't nobody in these will, he done bellyached over it fo' a c'sid'able while, and one day he come to me ah' he says, 'Greenlaw, we uns is got to have a new house the come to me ah' he says, 'Greenlaw, we uns is got to have a new house the state's leading Republicans will to we uns is got to have a new house it fo' a c'sid'able while, and one day he come to me ah' he says, 'Greenlaw, we uns is got to have a new house the state's leading Republicans will to we all the modern 'myrodements if he to a c'nsid'able of a 'dvantage, knowin' at lite out in the says, 'Greenlaw, Auburn at 10 o'clock in the morning. Next week that able jurist and popu-"Well, I says, That's all right, the Hon. Ira E. Robinson, of Taylor Jim, an' we'll make it the rule if yo' all says so, but what's a lallapadioser?"

"He grinned a little, an' he says, ternoon, May 29, and at Pennsboro and the control of the twentieth. This "Ho grinned a little, an' he says, ternoon, May 29, and at Pennsyoro on the first time Pete Grosjean puts will be a rare opportunity for the enough in the pot to make it with while. Yo' all better stick it up on the wall some res where we won't be liable to notice it till it's pinted out to him."

The says, ternoon, May 29, and at Pennsyoro on the evening of the twentieth. This will be a rare opportunity for the Republicans to hear the political questions ably discussed by the general section will most likely preside as our chief executive after March 4, 1917, and a large crowd is expectable with the great the distinguished guest.

> The Reserve Gas Company is pre-paring to take up the Dresser patent pipe, used in the big gas mains through the incorporation, replacing it with screw pipe as an extra precaution of safety.

Acquires Lease.

The Deffenbaugh Oil and Gas Company, a new concern, has acquired the George Blackburn lease, near the Ramsey pool on the Harrisville road, about three miles south of Ellenboro, and are tearing down the rig on the control of the county, was here this week, a guest of his unant are tearing down the rig on the control of the county, was here this week, a guest of his unant control of the county, was here this week, a guest of his unant control of the county, was here this week, a guest of his unant county.

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USER'S DAY'S WOPN

This resident of No. 310 Buckhannon street gives the very best of reasons tor the Nery-Worth at things run along mo' regitation for the Nery-Worth is in him. This is what he signs his name to:

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In Serious Condition. reck- The little son of Andrew Cunning-his ham, of near League, is in a serious

at all or eat. Was tired all the time and felt miesrable.

I have taken different kinds of medicine, but none of them have done me any good to speak of.

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Goes to Arkansas,

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Harry Gore, junior partner of the successful oil contracting and producing firm of Rinehart and Gore, of Cairo, left last week for Arkansas, where the firm has secured several where the firm has secured several thousand acres of likely oil leases serious charge brought against me, near the towns of Hope and Fort Smith, and will do extensive drilling during the coming summer. Charles E. Sarber, of Parkersburg, is a partner in the western enterprise, and has been located in Arkansas for several ment and as such appealed to the latent militarism I had inhaled while several ment and as such appealed to the latent militarism I had inhaled while in the police force, but since subseveral months.

railroad at Ellenboro, was called to Washington, D. C., last week on ac-count of a serious accident to his hisself some, an' played alone like he was mo'or less 'assperated an' reckoped fo' to all a serious accuent to his

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c'nsiderable left an' he sho' had the courage o' his convictions, whatever 'twas he'd done been c'nvicted of. We uns never knowed nothin' 'bout that, him not bein' a residenter, but I reckon it must'a' been somepin' servous.

"Well, bimeby it come Blaisdell's deal, an' I will say fo' Jim what the cyards is liable to lay the way he wants 'em to a'ter he's done gave 'em out, an' I spicioned fr'm the way Grosjean looked what he must 'a' caught a lallapalooser his own self. kansas City no mo.'"

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to fall in a passage-way at his home, sustaining a serious fracture of the hip. Mr. Ringer, who is 76 years of age, is in a critical condition, but latest reports is that he is resting

Business Meeting.
The girl scouts of Cairo held an important business meeting at the home of Miss Pearl Hatfield re-cently. After the meeting dain-ty refreshments were served. Those present were Miss Leola Moats. Gladys Robinson, Margaret and Ca-milla Greene, Buena Atkinson, Virginia Fleming, Margaret Ferrell, Louise, Neill and Pearl Hatfield and Margaret James.

It Pays To Advertise,
The new Methodist Episcopal church at Pullman will be dedicated

on Sunday, June 11, 1916. The pastor, the Rev. J. W. King, is endeavoring to secure the services of Bish op eBrry to preach the dedicatory

Paints up Wagons.
Judg Boehm, proprietor of the
Wonderland Show, has painted up
his wagons in fine style, and is preparing to start on the road for the 1916 season, with high class moving pictures and refined vaudeville. He will travel through the country for

We're All Puffed Up.
Through an ad inserted in the
Clarksburg Telegram a few days ago,
Joseph Mihlbauer, the prosperous Highland farmer, has sold a fine farm on upper Bond creek to a Mr. Nutter, and praises the efficiency of the Telegram's classified page.

Personals, Walter Butcher and wife, who have been sojourning at the home of Theo-dore Butcher, on Bond creek, since last July, departed on Thursday for Lancaster, O., where Mr. Butcher will be employed in the Ohio oil

Miss Donna Creel, registered nurse

cle, H. B. Reed. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Arnold and con.

hoy, of Liverpool, Jackson county, who have been guests of W. F. Arnold and family, have returned to their

school convention, is expected to arrive home this evening.

The Hon. W. E. White, of Parkersburg, who has important oil interests on Whiskey run, was a visitor in town this week, also E. E. Pene of the producing firm of B. S. Pope, of the producing firm of B. S. and E. E. Pope, who owns valuable leases near League.

NOT DRUNK, BUT DEVOUT, SAYS

Welsh Town Crier's Defense at me." When Censured for Actions at Funeral.

LLANRWST, Wales, May 13 .-William Williams, Llanrwst's town crier, accused of being inebriated at the obsequies of a local soldier, made this defense before the Llanrwst board of guardians:

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on the beauty of emitted.

"Yet some victous, soulless impostor declared the melody was inspired by over-indulgence in whishey—a statement I dismiss with the contempt the mighty lion hath for the contempt the mighty lion hath for the crawling slug.

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ROTTERDAM, May 13.—The Holland-Amerika Line, which maintains the trans-Atlantic service between New York and Rotterdam, more than New York and New York

NEW CALENDAR.

Had Seen Strange Places.
"I have traveled thousands of miles and visited strange places, uningling with weird people; yet no finger of scorn has ever been direct-At this point a board member in- seventeen in the preceding year,

terrupted:

"But the question, were you drunk at the funeral?"

"No, sir," answered William; "I was merely devout."

According to the annual report, which has just been issued, the company lost the steamer Eemdyk on a mine, while three other vessels were badly damaged by mines and the Ryndaw was irecultion of the American badly damaged by mines and the Ryn-dam was in collision off the American coast; but despite the perils of the seas, 137 voyages were made with the company's own passenger and PEKING, May 13.—By govern-ment mandate the imperial or Hung Hsien calendar, which was instituted

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